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THE SENTINEL. N° III.

Beneath what baneful Planet, in what Hour
Of Deſperation, by what Fury's Aid,
In what infernal Poſture of the Soul,
Did thy frail Fancy wanton ſo black a Scheme?
Dr. YOUNG.

WHOever conſiders that at preſent the Rights of the Crown are Tried by the People, muſt tremble at the ruinous Conſequences of the penſiveſt Innovations that would oblige the Subject to be Tried by the Officers of the Crown. For if an Inſtruction hath the Force of a Law in a Civil Cauſe, no Reaſon can be aſſigned why it ſhould not in Cauſes Criminal. And to attempt the Introduction of a Syſtem that has a Tendency to enable a wicked or vindictive Governor, to have the Subject Tried for Caſes Criminal and Capital, by a Jury of Judges dependent on the Crown, would be one of the moſt wanton Attacks on the Conſtitution, that is to be met with in the worſt and moſt arbitrary Times. It would be making an abſolute Surrender of our Lives and Liberties to the Will and Pleaſure of another. And conſidering that *precal a Jove, precal a ſubeno*, the moſt lively Imagination cannot figure to itſelf, the tremendous Purpoſes, to which ſuch a Power might, in future Times, be perverted. From ſuch a Syſtem, the *Star Chamber* would be a Redemption. Not a crooked Word, or an uncourtly Whiſper, would eſcape with Impunity, that is, without tyrannical Vengeance. And many an honeſt Fellow do I know, whoſe Ears I would not inſure for Ninety-nine per Cent. And yet the baneful Project from which all this would as naturally reſult as Light from the Sun, *is undoubtedly intended for the Good of the People.* Yes, verily it is *for the real Benefit of the Subject; and to enable him to correct the Miſtakes of an ignorant Jury.* As tho' any Man would think it a Favour to have his Throat cut, for the Cure of the Tooth-ach; or to be ſtript of every Thing he held ſacred and eſtimable, for the better Advancement of his Happineſs. Would not ſuch wonderful Promoters of our Felicity, were their Ability equal to their Inclination, reduce a Nation of FREEMEN, to the Bondage of *Priedmen*; or rather to the beaſtly Servitude of *Turkiſh*?

It has already been proved, that there cannot be a wilder Infatuation, than to imagine that all his Majeſty's Subjects, whether in *England* or *America*, are not entitled to the Privileges of ENGLISHMEN. The contrary is evident from the Nature of Colonies, from Acts of Parliament, from the Rules of common Juſtice, from uninterrupted Uſage, from Royal Grants and Confirmations, from the Senſe of the Crown, and unqueſtionable Authorities in Law.

Allegiance neceſſarily involves in it Protection. Without Liberty no Man can be a Subject. He is a Slave: And to ſay that he is bound to obey without being protected, is to ſay, that there is no Difference between abſolute Power and limited Government; between *Engliſhmen* and *Priedmen*, between Law and Diſpenſation, Freedom and Vaſſalage, Tyranny and Juſtice. In a Word, making Murderers to Nonſenſe, and Infidels to Nonſenſe. What is the uſeful, the reaſonable Purpoſe and Uſe of Power, but the Good of Men? What the Conſequence and Uſe of the Power delegated to the Chief Magiſtrate by the *Engliſh* Laws, but the Good and Happineſs of *Engliſhmen*? With what View then can any Man, make an Attempt on our Liberties, by offering us a Meaſure unconſtitutional and unknown? Is it for the Public Good that ſuch an Attempt is made? Or is a Trial by Juries, which has been the Boaſt of *Engliſhmen* from the remoteſt Antiquity, all at once become ſo pernicious, that it is no longer to be tolerated without an Appeal! Is a Conſtitution matured by Ages, founded as it were on a Rock, repeatedly defended againſt lawleſs Encroachments by Oceans of Blood, meliorated by the Experience of Centuries, alike ſalutary to Prince and People, and guarded by the moſt awful Sanctions: Is ſuch a Conſtitution, I ſay, now to be altered or aboliſhed, by——the Dafh of a Pen!

If any Man will advance ſuch Maxims as evidently tend to injure and oppreſs the People, whatever be his Pretenſions, (for no Man ever avowed ſuch a Deſign) they ought to believe that he means it; and from that Moment look upon him as their Enemy.

It is notable Mockery to hear ſuch public Incendiaries blame a Man for what they call inflaming the Paſſions of the People, that is, in Reality for not ſuffering them to enſlave the People without Oppoſition. But pray who inflames the Paſſions of the People? *Ceſar*, who ſays they are not entitled to any Liberty, and forcibly deprives them of what they have; or *Brutus*, who tells his Countrymen that *Ceſar* is a Villain for ſo ſaying and acting? A Man might as well fire my Houſe, and then blame me for diſturbing the Town by crying out *Fire*. Whoever is the Author and Origin of a lawleſs, pernicious Meaſure, is alſo the Author of all the Conſequences that naturally enſue. Nor is any Thing in the World more naturally, or more reaſonably inflammatory, than to tell ENGLISHMEN that they are, or ought to be, SLAVES. This will inflame, this ought to inflame, every Man who hath a Spark of Virtue, a Spark of Liberty, or any inflammable Spark in his Compoſition. And for all the Fire theſe arſons, ſhould it at laſt ſpread into an univerſal Conflagration, is the ſaid primitive Incendiary undoubtedly anſwerable.

If the Excellency of our Conſtitution depends (as it certainly does) on the equal Poiſe of the ſeveral Branches compoſing the whole Legiſlature, proportionably great muſt be the Miſchiefs reſulting from the Deſtruction of the Balance. He therefore, and he alone is a true Friend to the Conſtitution, who, duly ſenſible that our Government is the moſt free, the moſt equal, and the moſt happy, that ever exiſted, is always ready to defend the Prerogatives of the Crown, againſt the Encroachments of the People; the Rights of the Commons againſt the Encroachments of Prerogative; and the Attempts of the Nobles againſt the Privileges of either; and of both, againſt their Privileges. But he who wiſhes that either ſhould ſwallow up or impair the other, whoever he be, his Proceedings, his Art, his Chicanery, his Diſſimulation, his Doublings and Windings, his Sophiſtry and Subtilty, his Provarications and Subterfuges, are Treaſon and Falſe to his Country.

For the Sake of thoſe who prefer the Civil, to the Common Law, and Civil Law to Private Law or Equity, I ſhall conclude with an Extract from a Piece publiſhed by Order of Louis XIV. the moſt abſolute Prince that ever reigned in *France*: "Let it not be ſaid that the Sovereign is not "ſubject to the Laws of the State, ſince the "contrary Propoſition is one of the Truths "of the Law of Nations, which Flattery "has ſometimes attacked, and which good "Princes have always defended, as a ſacred "Divinity of their States."

BOSTON, May 6.

LAST Wedneſday Mr. Vaas arrived at Marblehead in a Fiſhing Schooner from the Iſle of Sables, on which Iſland he was caſt away, on his Paſſage from Newfoundland, bound to N. England, the 18th of November laſt; where he, together with the Veſſel's Crew, conſiſting of 13 Perſons, remained till the 16th of April, in the greateſt Diſtreſs for want of Proviſions, being reduced when they were caſt aſhore, only to 4 Biſcuits each Man, 14 oz. Beef, and about 6 lbs. of Flour, which laſted one only one Spoonful a Day. During the above Time, they lived chiefly on Seal and Horſe-fiſh without any Salt. The Method they took to catch the Horſe was digging Pits, and driving them in, otherwiſe they muſt have periſhed. They had no Ammunition, or might have killed wild Beaſts enough. The 4th of April being moderate Weather, and the Moſt beginning to thaw, the Maſter, Mate and 3 Hands, took their Boat, in order to push for the firſt Land, but were out Board of 12 Days afterwards; and if they eſcaped, arrived at Halifax. It is ſaved the Crew [illegible] All the Firewood they had during the Winter was the Pieces of the Wreck as they drove aſhore.

One Day laſt Week an Experiment was made to recover a young Kitten to Life, which had been drowned in a Tub of Water, and to all Appearance dead above half an Hour: It was performed by only laying it before a Fire, and covering it over with common Salt, rubbing it gently over the Body for ſome conſiderable Time, upon which it began to revive, and the rubbing being continued, ſtretched out its Paws one after the other, and ſo on vomiting up a Quantity of Water, recovered ſo as to crawl about and make a Noiſe, and being carried to its Dam, ſuckled and appeared as well as ever.

NEWPORT, May 6.

The Maſter of a Whaling Veſſel, which arrived here laſt Saturday from Dominico, informs, That on the 30th ult. he got into that Iſland; and ſoon after he had anchored, was ſurprized with a violent Motion of the Veſſel, which almoſt threw him down; but the Depth of Water continued him it; and he ſo Ran[illegible] That he was above the next Day; and was informed by ſome Frenchmen, that the ſame Day, the Iſland was almoſt continually ſhaken with Earthquakes: That he (the Maſter) believes he was the firſt of that Kind that was there while he was on ſhore. That on Monday the 6th inſt. he left Dominico, and was informed by ſome Men, Paſſengers in the Veſſel, which came from Martinico, that the Iſland of Martinico had been ſhook by Earthquakes, and that the Iſland of Dominico, [illegible] was entirely ſunk or ſwallowed in the Ocean, together with the Inhabitants, [illegible] Dominico is one of the Caribbee Iſlands, and lies [illegible] Martinico, and 28 Miles Weſt of Guadaloupe, and 146 N. W. of Barbadoes, belonging chiefly to the French. It was ceded to Great Britain by the laſt Treaty of Peace.

WILLIAMSBURG, May 9.

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May 9. On Friday Morning laſt, [illegible]

Servant, a Taylor, said to be one of the best Workmen in Town, an industrious sober Man, and in good Circumstances as to his Substance. But who has for some Time been under a melancholy Disorder, of a religious Kind, fearing he should not be saved, and has made several Attempts upon his own Life, took the Opportunity, while his Wife was at Market, to murder his Son, an Infant about three Months old, which he took from the Cradle, and laying it on his Left Arm, with its Head in his Hand, cut its Throat with a Penknife. The Neighbours being alarmed, found him with the murdered Child in his Arms. He seemed not at all surprised, deliberately wiped his bloody Hands and the Penknife, and putting it, put it into his Pocket. He readily owned the Fact, said he had long been greatly distressed, and weary of Life; that he had made many Attempts to destroy himself, but his Heart failed him; and he had taken this Method, that he might die by the Law, and hoped God would have Mercy on his Soul. He talked very religiously, and except on the particular Subject of his Uneasiness, very sensibly. He was immediately committed to Jail, and secured so as to prevent him from destroying himself. It was conjectured by some that his Disorder might spring from some domestic Uneasiness, and he was asked if he lived in good Harmony with his Wife. ——He replied, that he never had any Difference with her, she was a good Woman——and he expressed Pity for her Distress. He was carried to Jail before the Coroner's Inquest came home. When she heard of the Disaster, she was in the Street, and fainted away. The Jury brought in their Verdict Wilful Murder.

Since inserting the above Account we have seen the unhappy Man's Confession, made and signed by himself before the Coroner's Jury, which is in nothing materially different from the above.

He declares, that having concluded to destroy himself, and reflecting that the Child might hereafter be reproached on his Account, he had formed the Design of preventing that, and procuring his own Death, by killing the Child; and that he had once mentioned this to his Wife. That as he was at Work tipping a Coat with a Penknife, and seeing the Child sit in the Cradle, no other Person being present, he thought it a fit Opportunity to execute his Purpose, which having done as above, he held the Child so that it might bleed freely, and die easily. He further declared, that his Discontent and Weariness of Life, was occasioned by Disappointment and Crosses in Business.—But it does not appear that he had met with any such Crosses.

Yesterday arrived the Ketch Mercury, Captain Kennedy, in 30 Days from Pensacola. We hear he brings Advice that they have there given over the Expectation of the Spaniards coming to New-Orleans.

May 13. We can assure the Public, That Sir William Johnson, at his Seat at Johnstoe Hall, on the Fourth Instant, was surrounded by upwards of a Thousand Indians of different Tribes, not in an hostile Manner, all in Friendship; and that every Thing went on well in the Negociation, greatly to the Satisfaction of his Excellency, as tending to the Good of his Majesty's Subjects.

ANNAPOLIS, *May* 23.

On Tuesday last his Excellency our Governor, in Council, was pleased further to Prorogue the General Assembly of this Province, until the first Monday of *October* next, being the 7th Day of the Month.

Sunday last the Body of a Man was found in *Severn*, suppos'd to be of a young Man, named *Edward Perry*, who was missing in the Time of the late Frost, his Hat being then found on the Ice.

Tuesday last, at our County Court, Nine young Gentlemen who had studied the Law in Town, were admitted to the Bar: And we hope they will prove an Honour to their Country.

Extract of a Letter from the Eastern Shore.

"The great Scarcity of Money, low Markets "abroad for the Produce of the Plantations, "the heavy Restraints and Impositions the Colo"nies are already laid under (exclusive of the "AMERICAN ONE we have great Reason to "surmise impending) are sufficient to strike a "Damp into the most brave Minds."

HALF-CROWN NAILS, a large Quantity, to be sold very cheap. Enquire of Jonas Green. Not less than a Cask will be disposed of, and small Casks contain 8 or 9000 l.

A NEW Person wanting an Contract for the Building a BALL-ROOM in Annapolis, may treat for the Plan at Mr. Alexander's House, to whom Offers are desired to be made in three Months in Writing, to close on that being laid before the Assembly.

Baltimore-Town, May 15, 1765.

THE Subscriber, understanding that many false Reports have industriously been propagated, relative to the Loss of the Ship *Dolphin*, *Dougall M'Dougall*, Master, who sailed from *Pensacola* in November last, takes this Method of acquainting the Gentlemen, who shipp'd Tobacco in her, that he has received Letters from Messieurs *John Stewart* and *Campbell*, importing that the said Ship, after some Days excessive Storms (during which Time many Ships of great Value were lost) was forced on Shore in *Mount's Bay*, near the Land's End.——That the Tobacco would be lost, but that the Shippers thereof were insured at Six Pounds Sterling *per* Hogshead, agreeable to their Request. William Lux, Attorney in Fact

(4") for Messrs. *John Stewart* and *Campbell*.

JUST IMPORTED from Lisbon, *and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, in* Baltimore-Town, *very cheap for Ready Money*,

A CHOICE Parcel of Lisbon WINE, in Quarter Casks, (amongst which are One Hundred Casks of Calkavella) good fresh Lemons in Boxes, Figs and Raisins in Trails, Almonds, Currants, and Walnuts in Casks; likewise, a Quantity of *Lisbon* Salt, and Corks.

(4") Jonathan Plowman.

Kent County, *May* 15, 1765.

WHEREAS *Edward Dorgan*, of *Kent* County, and Others, have, for certain Purposes, conveyed in Trust, unto me the Subscriber, One new Water Mill (with 27 Acres of Land thereto adjoining) situate on the Head of *Steel Pone* Creek, in *Kent* County, with all its Bolting Cloths, Scales, Weights, Furniture, and Appurtenances. Also, One other Tract of Land called *Cuttlestones Lot*, containing by Patent, 13 Acres, lying in the County aforesaid. Also another Parcel of Land called *Nanny's Fancy*, containing Ten Acres, lying in the County aforesaid; and two likely Negro Women. The above Mill is situated in the Heart of one of the finest Wheat Neighbourhoods in the Province, and not above 3 Miles from *Chesapeak-Bay*, large Flats may load and unload almost at the Mill Door; it has also a Tumbling Dam and Flood Gates, well calculated to vent any extraordinary Floods of Rain, and is an excellent good Merchant Mill. The above Mill, Land, and Negroes, are to be sold, at public Vendue, on the Premises, on Friday the 14th of *June* next, for either Sterling Cash, Bills of Exchange, or *Pennsylvania* Currency. The Sale to begin about 11 o'Clock. X 1 2 8 15. Thomas Smyth.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

Virginia, *Dumfries*, *May* 15, 1765.

RAN away last Night, or early this Morning, *James Scott*, native of *Ireland*, a Convict Servant, about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, and pitted with the Small-Pox: Took with him a Sailor's blue Jacket, a Pair of coarse Sacking long Breeches, and a full Suit of old black Cloaths. He ran away from me in 1757, and was never taken up till this Spring, so that he must be pretty well acquainted with the Country, and will probably impose himself on the Public for a Freeman.

Whoever takes up the said Runaway, and conveys him to me here, shall have Five Pounds Reward. Richard Graham.

STRAY'D or Stolen from the Subscriber, on or about the First Day of *October* last, a bright Bay Gelding, about 13 Hands high, with a Star in his Forehead, some White on his under Lip, Wall Eyes, hanging Mane and short Sprig Tail, his hind Legs and Feet white almost to the Hock, and branded on the near Buttock thus —+. He was bred about 2 Miles from *Samuden's* Works.

Whoever will bring the said Horse to the Subscriber, living near *Upper Marlborough*, or give Intelligence where he may be had, shall receive Fifteen Shillings Reward, paid by

X 1 5 0 Henry Crane.

STRAY'D or STOLEN from the Subscriber, living within two Miles of *Frederick-Town*, a light Bay Horse, between 14 and 15 Hands high, branded P C, paces naturally, carries his Head high when rode, is full of Spirit, and inclinable to stumble, is shod before, and 9 or 10 Years old; had on a large Bell, mark'd W P.

Whoever takes up the said Horse, and brings him to the Subscriber, or informs so that he may be had again, shall have Ten Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

(3") William Richardson.

WANTED,

A PERSON well Qualified to take upon him the Management of a FURNACE and IRON-WORKS. Such a Person, well Recommended, will meet with good Encouragement. For further Particulars, enquire at the *Printing Office*. (1") T

THERE is at the Plantation of *John Wood*, Senior, in the Fork of *Patuxent*, near *Snowden's* Iron-Works, in *Anne-Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, a Black Horse, about 13½ Hands high, shod all fours, branded on the near Shoulder thus | and on the near Thigh W.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Thomas Tolson*, Son of *Thomas*, in *Prince-George's* County, near *Bladensburg*, taken up as a Stray, a bright Bay Mare about 14 Hands high, got branded, she is about 7 Years old.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *James Beall*, living in the upper Part of *Anne-Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, a small Grey Mare, much Flea-bitten, about 12 Hands high, with a long Sprig Tail, branded on the near Shoulder L T, and is 8 or 9 Years old.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

COFFEE, CHOCOLATE, Loaf SUGAR by the Hundred or single Loaf, *Lisbon* WINE by the Quarter Cask, *Lisbon* LEMONS by the Chest or Dozen, Almonds, Figs, Raisins, Currants, Barrell'd PORK, FLOUR, and Ship BREAD likewise, Black and White OATS.

(4") Samuel Middleton.

WHEREAS *John Smith Prather*, late of *Prince-George's* County, deceased, did, on the 15th Day of *April*, *Anno Domini* 1763, give his Bond to the Subscriber, obliging himself, his Heirs, or Assigns, under a certain Penalty therein expressed, to convey to the Subscriber, by or before the 10th Day of *December* next ensuing the Date thereof, all that Tract or Parcel of Land, which was then in the Possession of *Jeremiah Prather*, junior, being Part of a Tract of Land called *Sprigg's Resque*, lying and being in *Prince-George's* County aforesaid, containing One Hundred and Eleven Acres; and whereas the said *John Smith Prather* died before conveying the said Land to the Subscriber, and without making any Mention thereof in his Will; by which Means it is apprehended the said *Prather's* Heir at Law may claim a Right to the said Land when he comes of Age; and whereas the Subscriber has since the Decease of the said *John Smith Prather*, paid to his Executrix, the Purchase Money for said Land, for which he has her Receipt, and also her Bond, obliging the Heir when of Age to convey to the Subscriber. He therefore takes this Method of acquainting the Public with the whole Transaction, in order to prevent any Purchase being made from the Heir at Law, as it may be a Means of throwing the Purchaser and the Subscriber into a contentious Law Suit. (3") Richard Duckett.

Annapolis, *May* the 14th, 1765.

PREROGATIVE OFFICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned, That the Prerogative Court of this Province, which was to have met on this Day, on Account of the Small-Pox being yet in Town, Adjourned to Wednesday the 10th Day of *June* next.

(*Signed per Order*)

Elie Vallette, *Reg. Cur. Prer.*

Baltimore-Town, *May* 2, 1765.

THIS is to desire all Persons indebted to me, either upon Mortgage, Bill of Sale, Bond, Proceed Bill, Note, or upon Account, to come immediately and pay the same, or come to my Satisfaction. Attendance will be constantly given at my House in *Baltimore-Town*, by Mr. *Watson*, who is authorized in the Time of my Absence from said Town, to adjust and settle all Accounts, &c. whose Receipt shall be good for all Payments made to him. And I do hereby give to all such Persons as ought to come with the above Request, that the longer they delay it, the more Trouble and Charges they will be put to, for I am immediately commencing Suits, &c. (4")

JOLLY COLLETT,

BELONGING to the Subscriber, and to Cost this Season at Two Guineas and a Half, and Five Shillings to the Groom; the Money to be paid at the Stable Door. He will be kept at *Russell Calvert's*, Esq; in *Prince-George's* County.

(tf) WILLIAM YATES.

BALTIMORE-TOWN, *April* 20, 1765.

BY Virtue of an Execution to me directed from the Lord Proprietary's Court, will be Exposed to Sale, by Public Vendue, on Monday the Twenty-seventh Day of *May* next, on the Premises, Twenty Acres of LAND, with a commodious DWELLING-HOUSE, Orchard, Kitchen, Store-House, Cooper's Shop, Stable, and other Out-Houses: Also, A Compleat MERCHANT MILL, on a good Stream of Water, on the Head of Seneca-Creek, with Two Pair of Stones, in good Repair, fit for Merchant and Country Business, pleasantly situated, in a fine Grain Country, and a good Neighbourhood, and within a Mile of the increasing Lower Ferry, and Half a Mile of a good Landing on Seneca-Creek; being late the Property of *Samuel Hill*, and taken in Execution by *Nicholas Maccubbin* of *Annapolis*, and Sold agreeable to Act of Assembly, by

HENRY ADAMS, Sheriff of *Baltimore* County.

THOMAS SMITH, *from Philadelphia*, and

NATHANIEL BUNKER, *from New-England*, COOPERS,

HAVE just open'd their Cooper's Shop, at the lower End of *Prince-George's Street*, on the Dock in ANNAPOLIS, where all Persons may be supplied with CASKS of any Sort or Size, and with any Quantity, done in the best Manner, and at the most reasonable Rates, by

Their humble Servants,

(6?) SMITH & BUNKER.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, by the Subscriber, on the 21st Day of August next, being the 3d Day of Court, at the House of Mr. Arthur Charlton, *in* Frederick-Town, *in* Frederick County, *for Sterling Money, or Bills of Exchange*,

A VERY valuable Tract of LAND called *Ace-ia Chapelle*, containing 1792 Acres, being and lying in *Frederick* County, on the main Branch of *Seneca*, and near the Mouth of the said Branch: the Land is well-wooded and watered. One Year's Credit will be given, for one Half of the purchase Money (if desired) upon giving good Security, and paying Interest.

(tf) CHARLES CARROLL, junr.

STRAYED from the Subscriber's on *Bush* Creek, in *Frederick* County, last Month, a Dun Mouse colour'd Horse, about 14 Hands high, paces naturally, his Brand, if any, forgot.

Also a well made Iron Grey Horse, about 13 Hands high, paces and trots, branded on the near Buttock T S.

Both of them were shod before, and are supposed to have made towards *Calvert* County.

Whoever will deliver them to *Benjamin Talbott*, near *Calvert* County Court-House, *Thomas Perrie* in *Annapolis*, or the Subscriber, shall be paid Twenty Shillings, or Fifteen Shillings for either; or if Information is given where they may be sent for, the Favour will be thankfully acknowledged, by

(tf) JAMES JOHNSON.

JUST IMPORTED,

And to be Sold by the Subscriber at Upper-Marlborough *and* Queen-Anne, *for Cash, Wheat, Indian Corn, &c.*

GOOD old *Barbados* Spirit in Barrels, *Barbados* and *Philadelphia* Rum, *Muscovado* Sugar, Single Refin'd Dito, Coffee, Candles, Soap, Ginger, and Fish Hooks.

He will be obliged to his Customers at Queen-Anne for Dealings in his Store in *June* 1765, to come, settle and pay off their Accounts, in Cash, Bills, Wheat, or *Indian* Corn.

(tf) WILLIAM PARKER.

RAN away from the Subscriber, a Negro Man named *Simon*, a likely young Fellow, about 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, well made.

Had on when he went away, an Osnabrigs Shirt, and Tailor's Clothes, good Yarn Stockings and Shoes.

Whoever secures the said Slave, in that he may be brought or conveyed to the Subscriber at *Pinners* in *Dorchester* County, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward and reasonable Charges, paid by

EDWARD CHAMBERS.

JUST IMPORTED, from GLASGOW, *in the Brig* Caledonia, WILLIAM GRAHAME, *Master*,

A FEW Landing Pieces of GOODS, very well Assorted, which will be Sold reasonably, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco. Any Person inclinable to purchase any or all the Parcels, may see the Invoices, and know the Terms, by applying to *Daniel Dulaney*, Esq; for *Port-Tobacco*, or the said *William* on board the Brig at *Nanjemy*.

N. B. The Brig is Loading for *Glasgow*, and will take some Tobacco or Freight at Six Pounds Sterling, with Liberty of Consignment. (tf)

Patowmack River, *George-Town*, *April* 20, 1765.

ON the First Monday in *June* next will be exposed to Public SALE, on the Premises, One very valuable LOT in *George-Town*, 183 Feet in Front, and 216 Feet in Depth, whereon there is a new Dwelling-House, 28 by 18 Feet, with 2 Brick Chimnies, and a good Cellar under Part of the House, a new House design'd for a Kitchen, and a very large new Bark House: There is also, on the same Lot, a very commodious Tanyard, having a constant Stream running through it.

At the same Time, will be SOLD, the Personal Estate of *William Darker*, deceased, late of *George-Town*, Tanner, consisting of two young Negroes (one a Boy about 7 Years old, the other a Girl about 9 Years old,) Household Furniture, Horses, Hogs, a Quantity of Tann'd Leather, and one Cart with Gear.

All Persons who have any Legal Claim against the Estate of the said *William Darker*, are desired to give them in to the Subscribers, that they may be adjusted and paid when Able. And all who are Indebted to the said Estate are desired to discharge what they owe immediately, or such Steps will be taken, as may be equally disagreeable to them, as to

MARY DARKER, Administratrix,
JOSIAH BEALL, } Administrators.
ROBERT PETER, }

(3?)

RAN away on the 18th Day of *April* last, a Country-born Negro Man named *Charles*, about 30 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, well made, a plausible sensible Fellow, very fond of Strong Liquor, and very talkative and fancy when Drunk, and plays very well on the Violin. Had on a dyed Cotton Coat and Breeches, a red Jacket, good Shoes and Stockings, a Felt Hat, and several good Cloaths with him.

Whoever will deliver him to me, living at the lower Part of *Frederick* County, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, paid by

(?2) MIRIAM RICHARDSON.

RAN away the 14th Instant, from the *Elk-Ridge* Furnace, a Convict Servant Man named *James Clark*, about 50 Years of Age, near 5 Feet 6 Inches high, is pretty lusty, of a Fair Complexion, has black Eyes, and something of a down Look when spoken to; his Hair is of a Brown Colour, and curl'd: he has been in the Country about 12 Months, and speaks pretty much in the *English* Country Dialect; he has taken with him a Discharge belonging to one *Benjamin Lepper*, which is dated 1764, I think in *July*, which it is probable he will make use of, by changing his Name; he also carried with him a Suit of *Lepper's* Cloaths, viz. Coat, Jacket and Breeches, of a dirty or dark Cloth Colour; the Coat has a Slit Sleeve, and the whole trimm'd with yellow Metal Buttons; he also took with him several other Things, as a Castor Hat, Check Shirt, Yarn Stockings, a Pair of Pumps, striped Holland Trowsers, a Pair of Osnaburgs Sailor's Ditto, and two Silk Handkerchiefs. Whoever takes up and brings the said Runaway to the Subscriber, at the *Elk-Ridge* Furnace, shall have, if taken within 10 Miles of the said Furnace, Thirty Shillings; if 20 Miles from thence, Three Pounds; if 40 Miles, Five Pounds, and if out of the Province, Ten Pounds Reward,

(?6) CALEB DORSEY.

TO BE SOLD By

THE LANCASHIRE FORGE, consisting of Two Fineries, a Chafery, and one Slitting-Mill, together with about 400 Acres of very valuable Land, lying upon *Deer-Creek*, in the Forest of Winter, in Baltimore County, about 12 Miles from the Head of *Bush River*, and 7 from the nearest navigable Part of Susquehanna. For Title and Terms apply to the Subscribers at the said Forge, upon the Great Falls of Susquehanna.

(?) EDWARD GARRETT.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN from the Subscriber, near the Church in *North-Church*, in *Somerset* County, on the 21st of this Instant *May*, a Sorrel Mare, about Hands high, branded *AB* almost in a Place, a white Mane and Tail, paces naturally, carries the Head low, and is gelded with a Collar.

Whoever takes up the said Mare, and delivers her to the Subscriber, shall have the above Reward; and for apprehending and convicting the Thief, if that he be brought to Justice, shall have Fifty Shillings more, paid by

(?4) FRANCIS WALLACE.

JUST IMPORTED

In the Betty, Capt. James Hamilton, *from* London, *and to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Store in* ANNAPOLIS, *very cheap, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, Tobacco, Corn, Wheat, Oats, Barley, Pease, Beans, Beef, Pork, Butter, Cheese, Tallow, Pitch, Tar, Turpentine, Planck, Scantling, Wood, &c. &c. &c. (any Thing under Consideration).*

GREAT Variety of *European* and *East-India* GOODS, Suitable to Summer and Winter Seasons.

Also may be had as usual, Wine, Rum, Molasses, Salt, Coffee, Chocolate, Cheese, some very fine Single Refined Loaf Sugar, &c. &c.

(3?) MATTHEW HAWKINS.

Leonard's Town, St. Mary's County, April 26, 1765.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of *Clotford and Company Merchants*, in Glasgow, in Consequence of Dealings with Mr. *Richard Brent*, or the Subscriber, and who have not already settled their Accounts, are requested to do the same between this Time and the 20th of *June* next: to the Subscriber (intends to Great Britain early in the Fall, and would be glad to settle as many of his open Accounts as possible, before his Departure). Those who cannot make immediate Payment, shall be indulged with a reasonable Time, on giving Bond and Security if required.

(4?) EDWARD CHAMBERS.

JOSHUA HOSIER and JOSEPH SPENCER, SHOEMAKERS,

At their Shop, next Door below Mr. Condon's *Store, in* Church-Street, ANNAPOLIS,

MAKE and SELL all Sorts of BOOTS, Mens Double and Single Channel'd Pumps, Shoes, and Screw'd Pumps; Womens Shoes and Pumps.

N. B. Womens Silk and Scuff SHOES and PUMPS, made as neat as in *London*. (?6)

April 27, 1765.

RAN away from the *Baltimore* Iron-Works at *Patapsco*, in *Maryland*, last Night, Two Servant Men, belonging to *Charles Carroll*, Esq; and Company, viz.

Thomas Perry, a Bricklayer by Trade, he is of a middle Stature, and about 30 Years of Age, full faced, of a ruddy Complexion, has black Eyes, as is his Hair and Beard, which are turning grey. Had on an old Callico Hat, Osnabrigs Shirt, an old Blue Broad-Cloth Coat without Lining, a blue Strip'd Flannel Jacket, an old Pair of Leather Breeches, and Country Shoes and Stockings.

John Dale, he pretends to be a Collier, is of a middle Stature, and about 25 Years of Age, of a swarthy Complexion, has blue Eyes, and light colour'd Hair. Had on an old Felt Hat, Osnabrigs Shirt, a brown Cloth Coat about half worn, a blue Cloth Jacket, a Pair of old Leather Breeches, and Country Shoes and Stockings.

It is likely they may change their Cloaths in Part, as they stole some Things out of the Store, viz. one brown Wigg, and a One, the other a Bob, one Pair of Thread Stockings, one Pair of mix'd Worsted Ditto, and a Pair of new Pumps.

It is expected they will make for *Philadelphia*, as they have been both Soldiers, and have said from their Discharges from the Army.

Perry was a Soldier at *Philadelphia* this Time two Years.

Whoever secures the said Servants, in that they may be had again, shall have Six Pounds Reward, or Three Pounds for either of them; and all reasonable Charges if brought Home.

(4?) R. CHAMPION.

[illegible] is in the Possession of [illegible] on the Elk-Ridge, in Anne-Arundel [illegible] Pounds Reward, and all reasonable Charges if brought home to

To be SOLD very reasonably,

TWO Tracts of LAND, joining together, containing Two Hundred Acres; on one of which is a good Dwelling House, a Stable, and an Orchard; and on the other Two Orchards, and about Ten Acres of Meadow Ground may be made. They join a Tract of Land called *Bear Bacon*, near *Snowden's* Manor.

For Title and Terms apply to *William Wright*, living in *Annapolis*. (*4)

THE Managers of the *SEVERN* CHAPEL LOTTERY, beg Leave to inform the Public, That they purpose to begin Drawing the same, on Monday the Tenth of *July* next, at *Elk-Ridge* Landing. There are some Tickets still on Hand, which may be had of any of the Managers, or at the PRINTING-OFFICE. (tf)

Annapolis, May 2, 1765.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of *George Newman*, late of this City, Merchant, deceased, either on Bond, Note, or Open Account, are requested to make immediate Payment to the Subscriber, who is properly authorized to receive and grant Receipts for the same: And those who have Demands against the said Estate, are desired to bring in their respective Accounts, properly proved. Constant Attendance will be given at the Store-House, lately occupied by the said Deceased, at the Head of the Dock, and the Goods remaining on Hand, will be Sold very cheap, for ready Money, or short Credit.

(3w) THOS. BADEN HODGKIN.

Kent-Island, April 19, 1765.

AS it is published in the *Philadelphia* Papers, that the noted Horse DOVE, imported by Dr. *Hamilton*, is now Covering at Mr. *Dawes's*, such Gentlemen on the Western Shore as incline sending Mares to him, may have them carefully brought over the Bay, sent up to the Horse, and returned at *Annapolis* when done with him, at Twelve Shillings and Six Pence each Mare. Particular Care shall be taken of them. Good Pasturage both at Mr. *Dawes's* and my House.

(*11) ENOCH SUDLER.

ROBERT PINKNEY,
TAYLOR,
At JONATHAN PINKNEY's *in* CHURCH-STREET,
ANNAPOLIS,

TAKES this Method to acquaint the Public, That he makes all Sorts of Mens Cloaths in the newest Fashion: As also Ladies Riding Habits in the genteelest Taste. Those Gentlemen who are pleased to favour me with their Commands, may depend on having their Business as completely executed as by any of the Trade, having had Eight Years Practice as a Foreman to the most Eminent of the Business in *London*.

CHARLES BRYAN,

HAVING furnished himself with good Liquors, and every other Necessary, hereby gives Notice to the Public, That he has opened TAVERN in the House where Mr. *Andrew Thompson* lately kept Tavern, in *Annapolis*, where all Gentlemen Travellers, and Others, who will favour him with their Custom, may depend on the best Entertainment for Themselves and Horses.

N. B. He carries on the Shoemaker's Business, as usual. (*4)

RAN away from the Subscriber, a Negro Man named *Jem*, a likely lively young Fellow, about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, has a wild Look, and when spoke to appears surprized. He was formerly the Property of Mr. *Robert Gordon*, of the City of *Annapolis*, deceased, so that it is very likely he spends some Part of his Time among his Acquaintance in Town. Whoever takes up the said Fellow, and secures him, so that he may be had again, shall have Eight Dollars Reward.

(tf) ROBERT TYLER.

HEMP-SEED,

JUST Imported from *London*, in the *Jane*, Capt. COULSON, is to be Sold at a Pistole a Bushel, Ready Money; and may be had of Mr. *Benjamin Berry*, at *Upper-Marlborough*, or of

(tf) CHARLES DIGGES.

JUST IMPORTED,

DOCTOR *JAMES's* POWDERS, to be Sold at a cheaper Rate than the Price demanded in Stores. Enquire at the *Printing-Office*.

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SELIM,

STANDS at *Tulip-Hill* this Season, and Covers Mares at Four Guineas, and Five Shillings the Groom: The Money to be paid at the Stable Door. Good Pasturage *Gratis* 'til the Mares refuse, and Notice given to the Owners; afterwards Five Shillings *per* Week for Pasturage.

(tf) 5 JOHN CLAVER.

DRIVER,

BELONGING to the Subscriber, a proved good Horse, Three Fourths Blood, Covers this Season, as Money is scarce, for Twenty-five Shillings Currency; and those Mares that do not prove with Foal, shall be Covered next Year for Fifteen Shillings. As the Terms are so very reasonable, it is expected that those that bring Mares will at the same Time bring the Cash.

(tf) 5 ROBERT TYLER.

CHILDERS,

THE Horse I advertised last Year, is now in fine Order, and will Cover the ensuing Season at Four Dollars. Good Pasturage for Mares.

(tf) 5 GEORGE LEE.

STRAY'D or STOLEN from the Subscriber, living near the *Potapsco* upper Ferry, a dark Bay Mare, near 15 Hands high, with a narrow Blaze in her Face, a Snip on her Nose, long Ears, Sprig Tail, branded on the near Shoulder W, is a natural Pacer, and Battle-Hamm'd,

Whoever takes up the said Mare, and brings her to the Subscriber, or informs, so that she be had again, shall receive Five Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

August 14, 1764. 7 WILLIAM MILLS.

N. B. She is supposed to be stole by those notorious Horse-stealers, the *FERROLS*, who lately broke out of *Annapolis* Prison. (tf)

JUST IMPORTED in the Ship JANE, *Capt.* COULSON, *from* LONDON, *and to be SOLD at my Store in* BALTIMORE-TOWN,

A VARIETY of *EUROPEAN* and *EAST-INDIA* GOODS, *Cheshire* and *Gloucestershire* Cheese, Pickles of all Kinds, *&c. &c. &c.*

I have likewise for Sale, lately imported, a Quantity of very good Molasses in Hogsheads and Tierces, *Fyall* and *Teneriffe* WINES in Quarter Casks, *West-India* RUM and *Muscovado* SUGARS in Hogsheads and Barrels, fine *Irish* pickled and dried SALMON, to be disposed of on the most reasonable Terms, for ready Money, by

(6w) 6 X JOHN STEVENSON.

N. B. Gold, Silver, or Paper Money, for Bills.

WHEREAS one *JOHN HUNT*, who left *England*, and in the Year 1748 lived in *St. Paul's* Parish, *Baltimore* County, *Maryland*, as a Saddler, and removed to *Westsone* Parish in the same County; from thence, 'tis said, he went to *Cumberland* in *Georgia*, and from thence to *St. Augustine*; and in *January*, 1764, as it is also said, he ordered a Cargo of Goods from *London*, to be directed to Messrs. *Burton* and *Rigalt* in *St. Augustine*, to be left with Messrs. *Hooper* and *Swallows*, in *Charles-Town*, *South-Carolina*: If the said *John Hunt* be still Alive, and will apply to the Subscriber, living in *Baltimore-Town*, *Maryland*, he will hear of Something to his Advantage. If he is Dead, which is most likely, any Person that will bring a proper Certificate of his Death to the Subscriber, shall receive a REWARD of FIVE GUINEAS.

(12w) 13 JOHN MERRYMAN, junior.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of Col. JOHN ADDISON, late of *Prince-George's* County, Deceased, are requested to make speedy Payment: And all those who have any legal Claims on the said Deceased's Estate, are desired to bring in their respective Claims, that they may be adjusted and paid. 13 X

(tf) THOMAS ADDISON, jun. Executor.

TO BE SOLD,

A CONVICT SERVANT WOMAN, who has near 7 Years to serve. She can Wash and Iron very well, is a Cook, and an exceeding handy Woman. Enquire at the *Printing-Office*. (tf)

Blandfield, Essex County, *Virginia, Feb. 3, 1765.*

TO BE SOLD,

SEVERAL Thousand Acres of LAND, in *Augusta* County, in *Virginia*, Part known by the Name of *Beverley Manor*, and the Remainder, about Five Thousand Acres, situated in the *Calf Pasture*. The said Land will be disposed of either in Parcels, or otherwise.

Any Person inclinable to purchase any Part of it, may know the Terms, by applying to Mr. *Thomas Lewis*, near *Staunton*, in *Augusta*, or to the Subscriber, who will attend at *Staunton*, at the ensuing *May* Court.

(tf) ROBERT BEVERLEY.

THE Subscribers beg Leave to inform the PUBLIC, That they have lately Erected, at *BALTIMORE-TOWN*, in MARYLAND, A DISTILLERY for making RUM; which, (by many good Judges who have seen it) is allowed to be one of the largest, completest and best constructed STILL-HOUSE of any in NORTH-AMERICA: And having furnished themselves with an expert DISTILLER, and a plentiful Stock of MOLASSES, they purpose to carry on the DISTILLING BUSINESS extensively, and to supply constantly the Demand for Home-made RUM, at nearly the same as the *Philadelphia* Prices, at least on much lower Terms than the Province of MARYLAND has been generally supplied with that Article. The RUM already made by them has been highly approved by the best Judges, and deemed superior to either *Philadelphia* or *New-England* RUM; and they hope to give Satisfaction to the Public, as well as maintain their own Reputation, by continuing to make always of the same approved Quality.

As this Undertaking is so well calculated to promote the general Trade of the Province, and so convenient for supplying the Country Traders, Farmers, &c. who bring their Produce to *Baltimore* Market, as well as to promote the private Emolument of the Owners; it is hoped the Public will give proper Encouragement to a Branch of Trade so useful, and so much wanted in the Province.

Any Gentlemen wanting Quantities of RUM for Exportation, by giving timeous Notice may be supplied, and proper Allowance made to such, by

Their humble Servants,

SAMUEL & ROBERT PURVIANCE, & Comp.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND adjoining to the Town of *Nottingham*, on *Patuxent* River, in *Prince-George's* County, called *Beanes's Forest*, containing 220 Acres; whereon is a new Dwelling-House 28 by 26 Feet, finished in a very neat and convenient Manner; a new Kitchen 20 by 16 Feet (under which is a small Stone Cellar); and a Stable. About Half the Tract is fine hard Marle, which may easily be improved to very great Advantage: The other Part is very level, and of a good Soil: The Situation is very convenient for either a Merchant or Tavern Keeper. Also a Lot of Ground in the Town of *Nottingham*, whereon is a very good Stone-House 30 Feet square, with a good Store Room, Lumber Room, Counting Room, with a Brick Chimney thereto, and a Lodging Room, on the first Floor: Above Stairs there is Three good Rooms, compleatly finished, and in good Repair: There is also a good Cellar under the House, the full Size thereof, with Three convenient Rooms therein. The Whole to be Sold together, or separate, as the Purchaser chooses, for *Londo* Bills of Exchange, Sterling or Current Money, upon very reasonable Terms.

All Persons Indebted to the Estate of *Colonel Beanes*, late Deceased, are desired to settle and discharge their respective Ballances by the Tenth Day of *February* next; otherwise they may depend on being Sued and Warranted, without Regard to Persons.

(tf) WILLIAM BEANES, Executor.

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